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Filed: 8 January 1999 ) Art Unit 1752  
For: "Ultra Low Carbon Metal-Core Weld Wire"

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- [ X ] Response Under 37 CFR 1.116 (10 pages);
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## **Request for Consideration, Claim Status**

The Official action of 22 October 2001 has been considered carefully. Reconsideration of the claimed invention in view of the discussion below is respectfully requested.

Claims 1 and 3-27 are pending.